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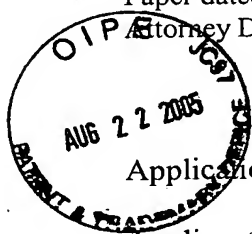
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This application is the United States national phase of PCT/JP 02/07598, filed
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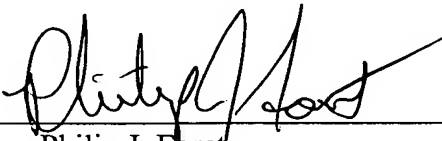
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No. EP 0 870 530 (AJ) and the Hofstadler et al. article ((AK) were cited in a Supplementary Search Report issued by the European Patent Office in the European patent application, which corresponds with the United States national phase application. The remainder of the references listed on Form PTO/SB/08A were identified in an International Search Report (ISR) for PCT/JP 02/07598, dated September 3, 2002. A copy of the ISR is not included herewith as the Notice of Acceptance of Application Under 37 U.S.C 371 and 37 CFR 1.495, dated June 13, 2005, indicates that the ISR was received by the United States Patent and Trademark Office. Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.98(d), copies of the references are enclosed herewith.

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